

Sent, Shaped, and Seen | Field Notes, Week 7

Titus 3:12–15

Message Based Curriculum

Opening

Welcome everyone and open with prayer.

Introduce the theme:

As we close our journey through Titus, we reflect on how Paul ends his letter- not with dramatic final words, but with humble, practical encouragement: support one another, meet real needs, and live out the grace we've received.

Finishing well means continuing in faithful service, building gospel partnerships, and living lives of tangible love.

CONNECT

- Who has walked with you most consistently in your spiritual life? What made their presence so impactful?
- When you think of “finishing well” - in life, ministry, or a season - what comes to mind?

DISCOVER

Read Titus 3:12–15 together as a group.

Understanding the Text:

1. What do you notice about Paul's tone and priorities in these final verses?
2. Paul urges Titus to “do your best” in helping others. Why is urgency and generosity in relationships important for healthy ministry?
3. Verse 14 repeats a major theme of the letter: devotion to good works. Why do you think Paul keeps circling back to that idea?
4. Paul ends with personal greetings and a prayer of grace. What does that say about the kind of community he wanted believers to build?

LOOKING BACK: REMEMBERING THE LETTER TO TITUS

Spend a few minutes reviewing what you've learned from this series. Use these prompts to guide discussion:

1. Sound Doctrine → Godly Living

- How has this letter helped you see the connection between what we believe and how we live?
- What teachings or truths from Titus have challenged you to live more faithfully?

2. Leadership and Integrity

- In chapter 1, Paul emphasized the character of leaders. What stood out to you about the kind of people God calls to shepherd His church?
- What does it look like for all believers-not just leaders-to live with integrity?

3. Grace That Trains

- In Titus 2, we saw that grace doesn't just save - it **trains** us to live holy lives. How has God's grace been training you lately?
- How can remembering grace help us endure and grow, especially in hard seasons?

4. Remembering Our Rescue

- In Titus 3:1–7, Paul reminded us of who we were, what God has done, and who we are now. Why is this memory so powerful for the Christian life?
- How do those verses shape your view of your testimony and your mission?

5. Devoted to Good Works

- Titus ends with a repeated call to be “careful to devote themselves to good works.” How have you grown in your awareness and willingness to do good in this season?
- What does “meeting urgent needs” look like in your current context?

APPLY

- Write down one takeaway from the book of Titus that you want to live out in the next month. Share it with the group if you're comfortable.
- Identify a current "urgent need" - relational, spiritual, or practical - that you can help meet this week.
- Ask God to show you who you can partner with or encourage in ministry, just as Paul partnered with Titus, Artemas, and others.

RESPOND

Use these questions for reflection and prayer:

- What truth from Titus do you need to be reminded of most often?
- Are you currently coasting in your faith or pushing forward to "finish well"?
- What do you hope someone says about your witness or service when they look at the life you're living?

GROUP PRAYER

- Thank God for what He's taught your group through the letter of Titus.
- Pray for grace to finish well — to stay rooted in truth and active in good works.
- Ask the Spirit to stir up fresh energy for meeting needs, loving others, and living with gospel purpose.
- Pray that your group would be a family of believers who are known for grace, generosity, and faithfulness.